

SUPPLIER DIVERSITY PROGRAM (SDP)
January – June 2015

In the quarter ending June 30, 2015, NYPA awarded \$12.0 million or 21.32% of our reportable expenditures to New York State-certified Minority and Women-Owned Business Enterprises (MWBEs). From January 2015 through June 2015, the Authority awarded \$26.0 million or 21% of our reportable expenditures to New York State-certified MWBEs. This includes both direct contracts and subcontracts, including construction and energy efficiency-related work. Thirty percent (30%) MWBE participation goals are now in effect for all New York State agencies and authorities.

It should be noted that during the first six (6) months of calendar year 2015, Treasury's transactions with three (3) different NYS-certified MWBE financial dealers totaled over \$50 million in principal sales and purchases for the Authority.

NYPA was selected as one of four (4) NYS authorities to participate in the NYS Office of General Services (OGS) pilot program for Service Disabled Veteran-Owned Businesses (SDVOBs). The OGS SDVOB Program Director has indicated that NYPA is currently the only agency successfully engaging and contracting with NYS-certified SDVOBs. Although still in the initial stages of development, NYPA has expended over \$525K with such firm's since the Programs introduction in January of 2015 and several other contract awards are currently in the queue.

The Contractor Mentor Protégé Program RFP is anticipated to be finalized and issued by the end of 2015.

Work continues on the New York State Contract System (NYSCS) Compliance Interface. The development, on-boarding and implementation of this requirement is being executed in conjunction with Empire State Development Corporation. This module requires state agencies and authorities to input all state contracting data for contract compliance, monitoring and reporting.